Practitioner's Docket No. 6099/002

PATENT



#17 8-31-61 13. Hilliard

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Herz, Frederick S.M.

Application No.: 08/551,198

Group No.: 2773

Filed: 10/31/1995

Examiner: Huynh-Ba

For: SYSTEM FOR CUSTOMIZED ELECTRONIC IDENTIFICATION OF DESIRABLE OBJECTS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(a))

- 1. This is a petition for an extension of the time for a total period of three months to Final Office Action dated February 24, 1999.
- 2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested is filed herewith. The response is the filing of a continuation application having an express abandonment conditioned on the granting of a filing date to the continuing application.
- 3. Applicant is a small entity. A verified statement was already filed
- 4. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)-(5)):

Extension:

Fee for small entity:

three months

\$435.00

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If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

Extension fee due with this request

\$ 435.00

5. Extended period for response

Based on the extension requested in this petition (and that for which a previous petition has been filed, if any), the extended period for response will expire on August 24, 1999.

6. Fee Payment

Attached is a check including the sum of \$435.00

Charge Account 04-1697 for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

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